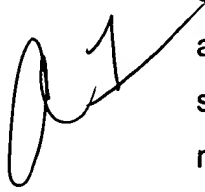


In the Specification:

Please add the following paragraph after the last paragraph on page 32 line 23 and before the first paragraph on page 33 line 1 as follows:

--In one exemplary embodiment, transmission of document and form data outside the infrastructure may use specialized data interchange. Similarly, in alternative embodiments, submission and display of forms data may also use this specialized data interchange. In a particular embodiment, this data interchange may use Extensible Markup Language (XML). XML provides the ability to create well-formed and valid representations of data that may be validated and exchanged between a variety of different systems. The specific interchange format of this data interchange of the present invention may be specified by either an XML Schema or Document Type Definition (DTD). This DTD or Schema identifies the exact data elements of the interchange, plus the grammar rules for when and where these elements may appear in the XML data that is exchanged according to the methods of the invention. An exemplary system of the invention may include software that performs processing of the XML data. For example, the software may perform inter-conversion of XML data to and from any of the data entry forms, data display forms, document-only transmissions, and infrastructure.--